

# BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

## ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

HANNA & SMITH, Washington Street,  
opposite the Post Office. 6

JENNINGS, JOHN S., Attorney and  
Claim Agent, Ash Building. 6

MOORE MARSHALL A., Room No. 5,  
Voss' Block, east side public square. 6

SMILEY & NEFF, Voss' Block, up  
stairs. 6

SMITH, WELLS B., Office in Voss's  
Building, east side public square. 6

THORNBURG, W. H., Attorney, Real  
Estate Agent, and Notary Public, East  
Side Public Square. 6

TURMAN & BIRCH, Attorneys at Law,  
Office, between Public Square and the  
Jones Hotel. 28

## MISCELLANEOUS.

ALLEN, R. M., Clothing and Merchant  
Tailoring, north side public square. 6

BARTIN, A. R., Watches, Clocks and  
Jewelry, between Post Office and Public  
Square. 6

BURLEY JOHN, Wholesale and Retail  
Dealer in Groceries, Confectioneries, To-  
bacco, Cigars, Notions, &c., No. 5, Voss'  
Block, east side public square. 6

LAKEY, GEORGE D., Hardware Store,  
north side public square. 6

BANK, E. T. KEIGHTLEY & CO.,—One  
door west of Post Office. 6

BURNSIDE & CO., Agricultural Imple-  
ments, Seeds and Farm Machinery,  
Washington street, opposite Post Office. 6

CITY TREASURER—D. Houghland, office  
over Cookery's Grocery, North side of  
Square. 32 1/2

CARVER WM. A., Dealer in Lumber,  
Reapers and Mowers, and Wheat Drills,  
at residence, East Washington Street. 30

COOK, C., Druggist and Apothecary, west  
side Public Square. 15 1/2

DORWORTH & CRAIN, Dealers in  
Drugs, Books and Stationery, No. 3 East  
Washington Street. 6

DORRIDGE, J. L. & CO., Merchant Tail-  
ors and Clothiers, No. 2, Southwest cor-  
ner Public Square. 6

FRISHER, S., Physician and Surgeon  
Washington St., opposite Keightley's  
Bank. 6

HAMMERT, J. M.—City Shoe Store,  
East Side Public Square. 36 1/2

HAYS & CO., Merchant Tailors and  
Dealers in Ready Made Clothing and  
Furnishings, south side public  
square. 6

HAYS & SON, Dealer in Dry Goods and  
Groceries, South Depot, No. 19 Main St.  
15 1/2

HAWKINS, L., Dealer in Dry Goods and  
Notions, North Side Public Square. 6

HUBBARD & RANDLE, Dealers in Gro-  
ceries and Provisions, three squares  
north of the Terre Haute & Indianapolis  
Depot. 30

INGLE, SHERIFF & CO., Manufacturers  
and Dealers in Furniture and Under-  
garments, old street, Indiana street. 6

KIGHTLEY, J. M., Physician and Surgeon  
over Cook's Drug Store. 19.

LANGDON, D., Dealer in Millinery and  
Ladies' Fancy Goods, and manufacturer  
of Hosiery, at Fancy Bazar, North Side  
Public Square. 13

POST OFFICE, On John Osborn, P. M.  
Keightley building, Washington street.

RESTAURANT—by W. H. Burk, South  
Side Square. Meals at all hours. 7

RENICK, CURTIS & CO., Carriage Man-  
ufacturers of all kinds of Carriages, cor-  
ner of Washington and Water Streets.

ROGERS DR. DUDLEY, Druggist, Green-  
castle, Ind. Prescriptions put up with  
accuracy, at all hours, day or night.

THORP & BRO., Druggist and Dealer in  
Stationery and Fancy Articles, south side  
public square. 6

TALBUT, C. W., Dry Goods and Carpets,  
No. 2, east side public square. 6

TENNANT, J. G., Livery and Sale Stable  
corner Washington and Vine streets. 6

WILSON W. D. & SON, Founders and  
Machinists near South. 6

DEAPNESS, CATARRH.  
A lady who has suffered for years from  
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TWO DOLLARS PER YEAR, INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

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## BUSINESS CARDS.

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Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public.

Particular attention given to the settlement  
of decedents' estates. Collections of all kinds  
promptly made. Business solicited. Office  
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over Lane's Store, Greencastle, Ind. 36 1/2

M. A. OSBORN,  
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OFFICE: North Side Square.  
My careful attention will be given to all  
cases entrusted to my care, and myself or  
Joseph McCleary, Esq., will constantly be  
found in the office. 20 1/2

R. L. HATHAWAY. W. A. BROWN.  
Late Adj. Gen.

HATHAWAY & BROWN,  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW AND NOTARIES  
PUBLIC, Greencastle, Ind., will practice in  
all the Courts. Especial attention given to  
the Collection and Bankrupt business. 34

S. G. REEVES & CO.,  
Daily Meat Market

ON INDIANA STREET,  
South of Southard's Corner.

BT We keep the best meats in the market  
constantly on hand. 1 1/2

H. H. MORRISON,  
RESIDENT DENTIST,

Office—Over Southard & Bowman's Store,  
Southeast Corner Public Square.

DR. A. C. FRY,  
DENTIST.

Office—over  
Cook's Drug Store,  
West side of the Public  
Square, Green-  
castle, Ind.

THE PUTNAM HOUSE,  
On Washington Street, near the  
Public Square,  
Greencastle, Ind.

Has been thoroughly refitted, and is prepared  
to offer good accommodations to the traveling  
public. THE TABLE is always furnished  
with the best market affords.

THOMAS J. WALLS.

## GREENCASTLE CARRIAGE FACTORY

Renick, Curtis & Co.,  
PROPRIETORS.

A large number of Carriages, Buggies and  
Spring Wagons, of the finest and best work-  
manship, are now on hand, which the public  
are requested to call and examine at the  
Factory, corner of Washington and Water  
Streets. 17 1/2

THE MAMMOTH GROCERY,  
—AND THE—  
Oldest in Central Indiana.

Just Received,  
500 Barrels Assorted Sugar,  
50 Hogsheads Porto Rico Sugar,  
35 " Demarara Sugar,  
15 " Soledad Sugar,  
10 " St. Jago Sugar,  
500 Bags Choice Coffee.

FOR SALE BY  
Andrew Wallace,  
WHOLESALE GROCER,  
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Collections made on all accessible points.  
Interest allowed on time deposits.  
COMMERCIAL PAPER DISCOUNTED.  
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MARK TWAIN'S  
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The most startling revelation of modern  
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ried Women," and all classes thoroughly ven-  
tured. 50 Illustrations. Price \$3. Address  
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New York. 31 1/2

## SOCIETY MEETINGS.

GREENCASTLE COMMANDERY, No. 11,  
Knights Templars. Meets the third  
Friday in each month. Initiation fee \$30.  
Dues \$3 per year. H. W. DANIELS, E. C.  
J. McD. HAYS, Rec.

GREENCASTLE COUNCIL, No. 17, R.  
& S. M. Meets the third Monday in  
March, July, September and December, and  
on call. Initiation fee \$5.  
H. W. DANIELS, T. I. G. M.  
J. McD. HAYS, Rec.

GREENCASTLE CHAPTER, No. 22, R.  
& S. M. Meets the third Monday in each  
month. Initiation fee \$22.  
H. W. DANIELS, H. P.  
J. McD. HAYS, Sec.

GREENCASTLE LODGE, U. D. F. & A.  
Ancient York Masons. Meets the first  
Friday evening in each month. Initiation  
fee \$20. Yearly dues \$2.  
H. W. DANIELS, W. M.  
WILL DAGGY, Sec.

TEMPLE LODGE, No. 47, Free and Ac-  
cepted Ancient York Rite Masons, meets  
Wednesday evening of each full moon.  
A. R. KRATTIN, W. M.  
J. McD. HAYS, Sec. 27 1/2

## HUBBARD & RANDLE, —DEALERS IN— Groceries, Provisions, Confection- aries, and Tobaccos of all kinds,

Would say to their old customers that they are  
thankful for past favors, and hope to receive  
a liberal share of their patronage in the future.  
also take pleasure in announcing to them  
and the public generally that they have now  
for sale the best quality of

FLLOUR,  
Made by Allen & Brother, Crawfordsville, Ind.  
Also, the best article of  
Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Molasses  
and Syrup.

Which they propose to sell very low for cash  
or produce, at  
No. 21, Depot Street,  
Three Squares North of Terre Haute Depot.  
28 1/2

Patented July 27th, 1869.

MY Improved Front Gear for Wagons has  
been patented, and after being tested  
has given entire satisfaction, and such is the  
increasing demand for these improved wa-  
gons, that I have ceased building the old style.  
The invention consists in the use of an im-  
proved arrangement of the frame to which  
the tongue is connected; also an improved  
construction of the tongue, it being formed of  
two flat bars and supported by metallic braces.  
Also an improved arrangement for connecting  
the bolster and coupling bar without the use  
of a king bolt. By this arrangement the draw-  
ing strain of the hind part of the wagon is  
transmitted directly through the center bar,  
and the axle relieved of its tendency to oscil-  
late on its axis, common to the old arrange-  
ment, whereby the king bolt is cramped and  
the holes in the axle and sand board worn so  
as to weaken them. The lightness and great  
strength of the tongue is admired by all who  
have seen it. The improvement is now on file  
ON LIBERAL TERMS.

To my customers and the public, I will say  
I have wanted good wagons at fair prices com-  
mon and none.

All kinds of wagon and carriage repairing  
done on short notice. A. FINLEY,  
Bainbridge, Ind., August 5, 1869-71

## THE MAMMOTH GROCERY, —AND THE— Oldest in Central Indiana.

Just Received,  
500 Barrels Assorted Sugar,  
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A WORK descriptive of the VIRTUES, and  
the VICES, the MYSTERIES, MISKRIES  
and CRIMES OF NEW YORK CITY.  
If you wish to know how Fortunes are  
made and lost in a day. One in Saginaw,  
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NOTICE is hereby given that the under-  
signed are appointed Executor and Ex-  
ecutrix of the will of Samuel L. Backeler,  
deceased. Said estate is solvent. All owing  
said estate will make immediate payment, and  
all who hold claims will present them duly  
authenticated for settlement. M. J. MOORE,  
Executor and Executrix.

## HAIR RENEWER.

PHYSICIANS AND CLERGYMEN

Testify to its merits in restoring a GRAY HAIR  
to its original color and promoting its growth.  
It makes the hair soft and glossy. Theod-  
in appearance are made young again. It is  
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HAIR Dressing  
ever used to remove Dandruff and all  
Scurfy Eruptions. It does not stain the skin.  
Our Treatise on the Hair sent free by mail.  
Beware of the numerous preparations which  
are sold upon our reputation.  
R. P. HALL & CO., Nashville, N. H. Pro-  
prietors. For sale by all druggists.

## THE NEW SLATE.

See my slate! I do it new.  
Cos I broke the other.  
Put my little foot right froo,  
Runnin' after mother.

I can make you lots of signs,  
Fas as you can tell 'em.  
T's and B's and big O's,  
Only I can't spell 'em.

I can make a funny pig  
Tid a turlly fatig.  
Tittle eyes and snout sobig  
Fokin' in a pailly.

I can make a elephant,  
Wid a trunk a hagin';  
An' a boy—who says I can't?  
Wid his dun a bangin'.

An' the smoke a tumin' out  
(Wid my tumb I do it,  
Rubbin' all the white about),  
Sparks a flyin' froo it.

I can make a pretty house  
Wid a tree behind it.  
An' a little mousy mouse  
Runnin' round to find it.

I can put my hand out floo  
On the slate, and draw it  
(Ticklin' is the worst of it!)  
Till you ever saw it do it?

I can draw me runnin' bat—  
Mamma's little posset.  
(Sleak's so dusty, rubbin' out,  
Dess o'd better was it).

Now, then, 'all I make tree  
Wid a birdie in it?  
All my pictures you shall see  
If you'll wait a minute

No, I dess I'll make a man  
Jesse the Uncle Rolly.  
See it tumin', 'fess it it  
But my slate is jolly!

Correspondence of the Banner.

## Letter from Nevada.

Mr. Editor:—Cheap labor is in great  
demand, and the rapid introduction of  
Chinese as laborers on the railroads and  
elsewhere attests the fact that the capi-  
talist who heretofore ventured his all  
with the expectation of "striking it  
rich," is now content to engage in busi-  
ness more systematically, where the  
gains, though smaller, are more certain.

San Francisco, which has long enjoyed  
and grown rich off of a monopoly which  
could not be opposed, must now suc-  
cumb to being placed on an equal foot-  
ing with the cities of the valley of the  
Mississippi. Enterprising Chicago has  
taken a peep into the hidden wealth of  
the states and territories west of the  
Rocky Mountains, and her competitive  
power is already felt in business circles  
here. The many money gormandizers  
who have had unlimited sway, dictating  
their own prices, with none in the field  
against them, must now retire from the  
contest or be content with "quick sales  
and small profits."

Prices of everything here are exorbi-  
tantly high. Chinese labor is sold at  
monthly wages, and the result is a  
fabulous figure. To this  
cago, make purchases, and then  
shipped to this point at a heavy loss  
to the cost here in gold or silver. Travel-  
ers through this country must have an  
abundance of ready cash, as the present  
local rates for first-class passage on Cen-  
tral Pacific Railroad are from eight to  
ten cents per mile in coin; staging twice  
and thrice that amount.

One objectionable feature, which sadly  
perplexes the new comer, is the sudden  
transition from the land of greenback  
currency to a region where such a cir-  
culating medium is not known or recog-  
nized in business transactions. In the  
East we speak of gold being worth 135,  
regarding, of course, the greenback dol-  
lar as the standard, while here the re-  
verse is the case, gold being the stand-  
ard and greenbacks being referred to as  
worth 72 1/2, &c., on the dollar. Many  
business men and State officials aver that  
numerous advantages would accrue to  
the people were the circulating medium of  
coin changed to that of greenback  
currency. Money matters here which  
are often constrained would be more gen-  
erally benefited. Money lenders gen-  
erally get from 2 to 2 1/2 per cent a month.  
A capitalist from the East wishing to  
invest \$20,000 in greenbacks, in any en-  
terprise here, must purchase coin. De-  
ducting one-fourth, to reduce his invest-  
ment to specie, leaves him \$15,000.  
Should the investment then yield him 6 1/2  
per cent per annum for two years, he  
would gain \$1,875. Should confidence  
in the integrity of our Government in-  
crease, as all men, save revolutionists, sin-  
cerely hope it will, greenbacks, be-  
sides doubtless advance to at least 87 1/2—  
Withdrawing his investment and gains,  
amounting to \$16,875, for currency,  
would give him \$19,250; for, a loss of  
\$715 on his original investment, besides  
the loss of the apparent gains, which  
taken together are just equal to the ad-  
vance on greenbacks. In other words,  
he loses by first exchange for coin, \$5,  
000, currency; he then gains \$1,875,  
coin. By the second exchange of spe-  
cial and gains for currency, he gains \$2-  
410, currency, which taken from his loss  
of \$2,500, which is just equal to gains,  
plus \$715. It is clearly evident that  
the profit is made by the party who pur-  
chased the greenbacks.

Were all business transactions based  
upon greenbacks as the standard there  
would be a greater degree of fairness for  
all concerned, and the advantage would  
not be entirely on the side of the coin  
holder. Many capitalists, who would  
contribute materially to the general pro-  
sperity of this section in the develop-  
ment of its resources, now remain away  
from a field of inviting enterprise.

Wealth is very transitory here. The  
prevailing mania for mining speculations  
is ever attended with excitement and  
great risks. The rich suddenly become  
poor, and vice versa. Yielding to the  
glittering temptation to invest in mines  
of gold, silver, and copper, and some-  
times a man's entire fortune is lost. To  
illustrate the sudden acquisition of  
wealth by those not fully acquainted to  
properly enjoy its blessings, brings to  
mind an incident which occurred a few

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An' the smoke a tumin' out  
(Wid my tumb I do it,  
Rubbin' all the white about),  
Sparks a flyin' froo it.

I can make a pretty house  
Wid a tree behind it.  
An' a little mousy mouse







# PUTNAM REPUBLICAN BANNER

Terre Haute & Indianapolis Railroad Time-Table.

Going East.	Going West.
8:10 a.m.	5:10 p.m.
8:20 a.m.	5:20 p.m.
8:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
8:40 a.m.	5:40 p.m.
8:50 a.m.	5:50 p.m.

Louisville, New Albany & Chicago Railroad Time-Table.

Going South.	Going North.
10:34 a.m.	5:59 p.m.
10:44 a.m.	6:09 p.m.
10:54 a.m.	6:19 p.m.

Time of Opening and Closing the Mail at the Greencastle Post-Office.

Time of Closing.	Time of Opening.
8 a.m.	3 p.m.
9 a.m.	4 p.m.
10 a.m.	5 p.m.
11 a.m.	6 p.m.
12 m.	7 p.m.
1 p.m.	8 p.m.
2 p.m.	9 p.m.
3 p.m.	10 p.m.
4 p.m.	11 p.m.
5 p.m.	12 m.
6 p.m.	1 p.m.
7 p.m.	2 p.m.

We have been so crowded for space for the last two weeks that Bratton, the Jewell man, has kindly allowed us the use of his column, for which we are under very great obligations.

Volney Smith, of Manhattan, reports business good in that locality.

Black & Goodbar shipped a car load of mules to Nashville Monday.

The usual Sabbath School concert will be given next Sunday night at Roberts Chapel.

Our second Nevada letter, published this week, will be found very interesting.

Cole Bros. & Brockway took the first premium on pumps at the great St. Louis Fair last week.

L. L. Dille left Monday to visit a married daughter at Fort Scott, Kansas, and expects to be gone about two weeks.

For late Southern papers, D. W. Jones has our thanks. They show that the canvass in Mississippi is becoming lively.

The sale of the personal estate of the late Reuben Ragan will take place at the family residence on Thursday, the 21st inst.

Sheriff Sherrill has been appointed Deputy Marshall for the city, by Mayor Daniels, during the disability of Marshall Gragg.

Wm. Talbott, a workman at the Pump Factory, cut his foot so severely Tuesday, by dropping a chisel on it, that he will be disabled for some time.

A valuable horse, saddle and bridle, was stolen from F. P. Nelson's stable Tuesday night. Such occurrences are becoming a little too frequent.

Rev. G. Callahan, Bible Agent, will deliver a lecture at Manhattan next Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock, after which he will organize a Sunday school.

Two hundred and eighty students are now attending Asbury University, with a large number yet to come in. It is thought the attendance for the year will be over 400.

Councilman Brockway had a gay time among the buffalo while in Kansas, his party killing no less than 200 in two days. "Heap meat" and "How!" are now familiar terms with him.

Goodbar & Black have purchased the livery stable now occupied by Col. Farrow, and expect to go into the livery business there about the first of January, or sooner.

Mr. Tennant has spent about \$50 in the effort to recover the horse stolen from him last week, but has been unsuccessful so far. No trace has been found of either horse or thief.

The President has set apart the 18th day of November, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, and we trust it will be properly observed by the citizens of Putnam county.

M. A. Moore has received a letter from the builders of our Soldiers' Monument, stating that it will be finished by the 10th of November, and that it will be ready for dedication any time after that date.

Last Thursday fifteen or twenty of our resident Masons attended the dedication of a new Hall by their Order at Quincy. About 2500 persons were present, and Col. R. W. Thompson delivered a fine oration.

The following residents of this city have been admitted to the bar during the present session of the Circuit Court: Grandville C. Moore, R. N. Allen, Jr., and Wm. J. Yeates. We wish them all success in their chosen profession.

If "Unknown" wishes his communication to appear, he should send his real name, not for publication, but for our own protection. He, or she, writes well, and with the above rule observed, we would be pleased to insert the article.

Henry T. Fletcher, near Bainbridge, is cultivating a blackberry, which he found growing wild in the woods, and which yields a cream colored fruit. By careful cultivation he may succeed in producing an entirely new variety.

Saturday night, about 8 o'clock, John Black was shot near the North Depot, the ball entering the fleshy part of the left thigh where it remains. We hear that James Thornburgh and James Moran are both charged with the shooting.

A piece of black walnut tree, evidently by the root, thirty-one inches in length and seven inches wide, is on exhibition at Keightley's bank, and was taken from the bottom of a well fifty feet deep, on the Daggy place, north of the Public Square.

The congregation of Simpson Chapel is much pleased with the new pastor, Rev. A. A. Brown. A music society, has been organized, and the first meeting was held Tuesday night at the residence of William Wright. It will meet weekly at the house of some one of the members.

Last week we were presented by Samuel Lloyd, the sweet potato man, with three potatoes, the first of which weighed 54 pounds; and the other two 54 pounds. The latter were of the common yellow variety. We suppose he sells them by the dozen instead of by the bushel.

We are pleased to learn that the Baptist church of this city has at last succeeded in securing a regular pastor, in the person of Rev. F. K. Roberts, of Maine. Services will hereafter be held regularly, each Sabbath morning and evening. The Sunday school meets at 9 A. M.

On Wednesday of last week Dressler, the traveling agent for Singer's Sewing Machine in this county, accompanied with about \$300, belonging to J. T. McJimmey, the local agent. He has a wife and other relatives living at Fond Du Lac, Wisconsin, and it is supposed he has gone there. Well, "he was dry meat, anyhow."

We learn that the collections at Roberts Chapel, for the Conference year just closed, have been as follows: For missionary purposes, \$370; Conference claimants, \$112; miscellaneous, \$134; minister's salary, \$1,200; repairs of church, \$300; incidental expenses, \$300; paid presiding elder, \$150. Total, \$2,576.

The other day a boy found a little girl crying, on the street, having been frightened by the big crowd of loafers on Cohn's corner. He kindly inquired her name, and then led her to her father's place of business. That boy has started out to be a gentleman, and the loafers aforesaid would do well to follow his example.

The principal matter of interest in the little village of Westland, on the National Road, is the passage of large numbers of emigrant wagons through the place, bound for the "far west." During the past two or three months there has been a daily average of at least thirty wagons, and, during the past week, 695 persons were counted, among them several colored families.

The citizens of Pleasant Garden are just now greatly excited. One night last week Wm. Mason, of that quiet village, discovered one of his horses in the agonies of death, and two others dangerously sick. A neighbor was also found in the stable at the same time, and, as the horses seem to have been poisoned, many surmises are afloat. We learn there will be a judicial investigation.

John Fox, sawyer at Ransom's mill, was accidentally shot at Fred Weik's shop on Monday. Mr. Weik was examining a small pistol, which a customer had left for repairs, and from which he supposed the charge had been drawn, when, much to his surprise, it was discharged, the ball passing through the fleshy part of Mr. Fox's left arm, making a painful but not dangerous wound.

Col. Ames' New Orleans Menagerie and Circus is to appear in Greencastle on Tuesday, October 19. The agent informs us that Ella Eugenie and Hett Lingel will pass through our streets with their animals, consisting of lions, tigers, bears, etc., loose on the top of their cages. We are not sure about the safety of such an operation, but are assured that the animals are so well trained that there is no danger.

At a special session of the County Commissioners last week it was ordered that an election be held in the townships of Clinton, Monroe and Floyd, on the 15th day of November, on the proposition to donate a tax of two per cent. on the taxable property of those townships to the proposed Indiana and Illinois Central railway. The tax will amount, in round numbers, to \$53,000, and the proposition will probably carry in Monroe township. We are informed that the other townships are doubtful.

PUTNAM COUNTY AHEAD.—Nebraska is noted for her big vegetables, and Mr. J. B. Wells, of that State, recently wrote to his brother, James Wells of Jefferson township, this county, that he had raised this season sweet potatoes weighing 34 pounds. His brother answered that he had raised sweet potatoes this year, of the common variety, which weigh from four to four and a half pounds, and thinks they are only ordinary. Our exchanges also have much to say about big potatoes, but we have seen none of them which equal that of P. S. Browder, referred to a few weeks ago, and which weighed 64 pounds.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—From the report of the Superintendent, for the month ending October 5th, we get the following: Whole No. enrolled 544. Same month last year, 476; increase, 68. Av. No. belonging, 523. Same month last year, 439; increase, 93. Av. daily attendance, 494. Same month last year, 405; increase, 89. Av. daily absence, 26. Same month last year, 24; increase, 5.

We also learn that the new school house will not be finished so soon as expected, unless the contractor puts a larger force to work. As the schools in that part of the city are very much crowded, it is hoped that he will make an effort to "come to time."

Last week we stated that the promptness of Robert Renick in keeping an appointment while attending the State Fair, on the afternoon of the disaster, in all probability saved his life. We now have an instance of another kind to record: William Seward, of Bloomington, had agreed to meet Mr. Sinker at Power Hall at 4 o'clock, to consult about the purchase of an engine, but meeting with an old friend, J. T. Rogers, of this town, at Agricultural Hall, he stopped to talk about old times, and forgot all about his engagement with Mr. Sinker until the explosion occurred. In view of Mr. Renick's fortunate escape we had determined to always make a special effort to be prompt, but this experience of Mr. Seward's puts the matter in a different light, and we are now "balancing between two opinions."

In the Putnam Circuit Court, at the October term, 1869, his Honor, Judge Eckels, presiding, the following State business has been transacted up to the present, second, week of the term. Owing to indisposition of Judge Eckels, Hon. James M. Hanna held court during the greater part of last week.

The following Grand Jurors were empaneled and sworn: Wm. Brown (of Washington township), Ezekiel Wright, David Moser, James B. Brumfield, Thomas O. Allen, Milroy Gordon, David P. Farrow, Albert Layman, Samuel Gardner, John H. Herod, Joel W. McGrew, and George Allen.

The following Petit Jury was ordered to serve as such during the term: Richard Sinclair, Edmund W. Lewis, Peter Clime, George W. Priest, Aaron Lewis, James H. Farrow, Hiram Miller, Nelson Wood, Noble Welch, Amos K. Payne, Peter Shaffer and Fleming McCray.

The State Docket, at the beginning of the term, consisted of 103 cases; the Civil of 105 cases.

In the following State cases, upon trial by Court, fines were assessed as follows: John W. Ratliff, A. & B., \$10; Archibald Brown, A. & B., \$15; John H. Burnett, retailing, 3 cases, \$5 in each case; Joseph Lee, A. & B., \$2; Samu-

el Campbell, mal-trespass, \$5; Alex. J. Farrow, mal-trespass, \$10; Andrew J. Lewis, retailing, \$5; Joseph Sherrod, C. C. W., \$2; Jackson Lewis, retailing and selling to minor, 21 cases—plus of guilty in six cases, and fine of \$5 in each case assessed against the def't and the remaining cases *not pro'd*; James Madden, C. C. W., \$1; John Snyder and Henry Snyder, A. & B., fine of \$1 on Henry and *not pro'd* as to John.

Quite a number of other State cases have been *not pro'd*, and in several the defendants, upon trial, have been proved not guilty and discharged.

A statement of civil causes disposed of, with remaining State cases, will be given in our next.

GREENCASTLE MARKET.—Wheat, red, 80¢ to 90¢; white, 90¢ to \$1—Flour, \$6.50 per bbl.—Corn, \$1—Oats, 45¢ to 50¢—Rye, 65¢ to 70¢—Butter, 30¢ to 35¢—Apples, good, 50¢—Potatoes, 30¢ to 35¢—Eggs, 15¢—Chickens, \$2.50 to \$3—Lard, 15¢ to 20¢—Hams, 15¢ to 20¢—Pork, 15¢ to 20¢—Butcher's cattle, 4¢ to 6¢—Shipping cattle, 6¢ to 7¢.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—John W. Showler and M. L. Rust. Henry M. Wilson and Francis J. Barnard. Charles W. Smith and Mary E. Preston. George West and Annie Taylor. John M. Scott and Emily Pickens.

I. O. O. F.—Names of officers of Putnam Lodge, 43, I. O. O. F.: J. B. McCormick, N. G.; T. H. Stevenson, T. G.; John C. Wallis, Sec'y; John Gilmore, T. M. J. Cooper, R. to G. L. Greencastle Encampment, No. 59, I. O. O. F.—Albert Allen and A. R. Bratton, R. to G. L.; T. H. Stevenson, C. P.; J. B. Kiddler, H. P.; H. Meltzer, S. W.; J. B. McCormick, J. W.; H. H. Morrison, Scribe; A. R. Bratton, T.

COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.—Council met in regular session, Monday evening. An ordinance preventing the sale of intoxicating liquors in any room in the Public Square, or in any room on the diagonal corners of the Public Square was passed.

The Street Commissioner was instructed to repair Birch street west of Jackson, also to put a barricade at the quarry on Madison street, and to repair Madison street between Washington and Walnut streets, and the west end of Columbus street, under the direction of the street committee. He was also instructed to scrape and roll Locust from Hanna to Berry street, and place a barricade at the cut between Main and Depot streets.

The Mayor was permitted to appoint a deputy Marshall during the illness of Marshall Gregg, at a salary of \$40 per month, and the use of the jail for the purpose of detaining persons in any room in the Public Square, or in any room on the diagonal corners of the Public Square was passed.

An assessment against the property holders on Locust street, between Washington and Seminary, was presented and allowed for maintaining the gutters for the sum of \$125. Robert Hight, was permitted to draw a portion of the water from the pool at the public spring to supply at his Brewery. Time to the 1st day of May, 1870, was granted to Henry Landis to open the new extension of Indiana street.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—Ransom H. Steele to Martin Cramer, lot No. 21, R. 12, Greencastle, \$1,000. William Ridd to John W. Grantham, 76 acres in Jackson Tp., \$1,900. William Wright to John Allen, 100 acres in Jefferson Tp., \$5,500. Francis M. Allen to John Allen, 80 acres in Jefferson Tp., \$1,500. Albert Mellett to Jonathan Michael, 60 acres in Cloverdale Tp., \$1,000. William M. Crum to James W. Morris, 84 acres in Franklin Tp., \$500. Willington Peach to Samuel J. Taylor and Bro., pt lot 2 Cooper's 1st Enl. Bainbridge, \$500. Columbus Gillen to Joseph A. McMurry, 40 acres in Franklin Tp., \$1,600. Joseph A. McMurry to William Tobin, 40 acres in Franklin Tp., \$1,925. John C. Deane to Isaac S. Butcher, W 1 lot 50 Corwin & Thornton's, Bainbridge, \$200. Harrison P. Allen to Wm. J. Bowen, lot 49, Mt. Meridian, \$400. William M. Morwin to Jas. B. Harrah, lot 3, western div. Cloverdale, \$450.

MARRIED.—At the Court House, in this city, on Thursday, October 7, 1869, by Rev. Thomas Bowman, D. D., Mr. HENRY WILSON, of Montgomery county, and Miss FRANCIS J. BARNARD. There is a great deal of humanity displayed in this thing of getting married, and the very thought of it so works upon our better nature that we cannot withhold our congratulations, even if we wanted to. And so here's to the happy pair; "may they live long and prosper," and possess all the good things intended for poor mortals here below.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Capt. W. M. C. Blake, the agent, received applications to the amount of \$17,000 00, for Life Insurance in the Equitable of New York, in one day, Oct. 11, 1869.

HALF HOURS WITH THE BEST AUTHORS, at Duckworth & Crain's.

White Kid Shippers just received at the City Shoe Store, on the East side of the Public Square.

PRICED RELIQUES OF ANCIENT ENGLISH POETRY, at Duckworth & Crain's.

Eli Kahn has just Returned from the East with the largest and most complete stock of Ready-Made Clothing, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps, Trunks and Valises, Notions, &c., &c., ever brought to this market. Mr. Kahn buys the best of goods, buys low, and sells low. He takes great pleasure in showing goods. He keeps everything worn by men or boys. He keeps the very latest styles.

He would call especial attention to the fact that his stock of Hats and Caps is very large, and bought so low that he fears no competition in that line, and will sell lower than any house in town. Go to Eli for anything in the clothing line. He will give you a neat fit. He will sell you good goods. HE WILL SELL LOW.

I have a very large stock of Gent's gloves and underwear, very low for cash.

WATERLY NOVELS, at Duckworth & Crain's.

Lamps, Lanterns, Chandeliers, Burners, Chimneys, Wicks, &c. Large stock just received at Allen's Drug Store.

ANY BOOK YOU MAY WISH furnished at catalogue price by Duckworth & Crain.

Fine Sheep for Sale.—We have been shown by Mr. D. L. Williams, who lives near Fillmore, a specimen of wool from his Leicester and Cotswold sheep, which is very fine. Mr. Williams has a number of these sheep for sale.—Call at his farm, or address him at Fillmore, Ind.

Another Fine Stock of ALBUMS at Duckworth & Crain's.

Wall Papers.—We have just received a large stock of Wall Papers, &c., expressly for the Fall trade, at Allen's Drug Store.

And all other goods in his line at the same low figures, at the Locomotive Boot and Shoe Manufactory of JOHN F. DANIELS, wholesale and retail dealer, Greencastle, Ind., 38y1

# Ayer's Cathartic Pills,

For all the purposes of a Laxative Medicine.



Perhaps no one medicine is so universally required by everybody as a cathartic, not was ever any before so universal in its use, and every country among all classes, as this mild but efficient purgative. The obvious reason is, that it is a more reliable and far more effective remedy than any other. Those who have not known that it cures their neighbors and friends, and all know that what it does once it does always—that it never fails through any fault or neglect of its composition. We have thousands upon thousands of certificates of its remarkable effects in every neighborhood, and we need not publish them. Adapted to all ages and conditions in all climates, containing neither calomel or any deleterious drug, they may be taken with safety by anybody. Their sugar coating preserves them ever fresh and makes them pleasant to take, while being purely vegetable they cannot arise from their use in any quantity. They operate by their powerful influence on the internal viscera to purify the blood and stimulate into healthy action—remove the obstructions of the stomach, bowels, liver, and other organs of the body, restoring their regular action to health, and by correcting, wherever they exist, such derangements as are the first origin of disease. Minute directions are given in the wrapper on the box, for the following complaints, which these Pills rapidly cure:—

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Loss of Stomach, and Loss of Appetite, they should be taken moderately to stimulate the stomach and restore its healthy tone and action.

For Liver Complaint and its various symptoms, Bilious Headaches, Dropsical Swellings, Jaundice or Green Sickness, Bilious Cough and Hoarse Voices, they should be judiciously taken for each case, to correct the disordered action or remove the obstructions which cause it.

For Dysentery or Diarrhoea, but a mild dose is generally required.

For Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Pains in the Back and Loins, they should be cautiously taken, as required, to change the diseased action of the system. With such change those complaints disappear.

For Dropsy and Dropsical Swellings they should be taken in large and frequent doses to produce the effect of a diuretic purge.

For Suppression a large dose should be taken as it produces the desired effect by sympathy. As a Diuretic Pills take one or two Pills to promote digestion and relieve the stomach.

An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, restores the appetite, and invigorates the system. Hence its often and judicious use where no serious derangement exists, is the best means of preserving health, and of putting the system in a healthy condition.

One who feels tolerably well, and finds that a dose of these Pills makes him feel decidedly better, from their cleansing and renovating effect on the digestive apparatus.

DR. J. C. AYER & CO., Practical Chemists, LOWELL, MASS., U. S. A.

For sale by D. Rogers, Greencastle.

# Notice to Contractors.

SEALED Proposals will be received by the Common Council of the City of Greencastle, Indiana, until 7 o'clock, Monday Evening, October 25, 1869, for building a stone culvert on Berry Street, between Ephraim and Locust, also a stone culvert at the foot of Main Street. Bids must state for how much per cubic yard the stone work and each excavation will be done for, and also how much per 100 feet the culvert will be put in for. Bids for each culvert must be made separate.

Names of proposers, who may accompany each bid. Specifications can be seen at the Engineer's office in Thornburgh's Block. The Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids offered.

By order of the Council, H. C. PERKINS, City Engineer.

# Executor's Sale.

WE will sell, on THURSDAY, the 21st day of OCTOBER, 1869, at the late residence of Reuben Ragan, near Fillmore, all his personal goods not taken by the widow, consisting of Household Goods, Farm Implements, Live Stock, Crops, &c.

A credit of one year will be given on all sums over three dollars, the purchaser giving note with approved security, waiving valuation and appraisement laws.

M. A. MOORE, J. W. RAGAN, Executors.

# Keep It Before the People that LEVI COHN

Has just received from the East with a large stock of new goods consisting of—

Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Ready-Made Clothing, Piece Goods, &c., &c., &c.

Furnishing Goods, Trunks and Valises, Undershirts, Drawers, &c., &c.

In fact, every article of Gent's and Youths' wear. He also purchased a large stock of BOY'S CLOTHING, which he selected with great care and can sell very low. His stock of NECK TIES and COLLARS is now complete and by far the largest stock in the city. Also, a big stock of NOTIONS of all kinds.

"Levi" still keeps on the South east corner of the Square, opposite his old stand, where he would be happy to receive the calls of all his general friends and customers and the public in general.

If he sure you get in the right place—the old Foster corner, between the Postoffice and Public Square.

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# 10,000 BUSHELS OF APPLES WANTED AT THE Greencastle Fruit House.

THE undersigned will pay the highest market price for all good, large and fair Winter Apples, delivered in good order. The following varieties are desirable: Rambo, Baldwin, Black Apple, Rhode Island Greening, Plover's Red, Vandevere Pippin, Pennock or Romanite, Newtown Pippin, Hoops, Can. on Pearmain, Spitzenburg, Northern Spy, and all other large, likely, and good keeping varieties.

DIRECTIONS.—Carefully hand-pick, or with patent picker, then gently lay them in the wagon, prepared as follows: lay hay or straw three or four inches deep in the bottom of the bed, spread over it an old quilt or carpet, drawing it up on all sides. Then drive slowly to market, so as not to bruise them.

38w4 RAGAN & HUTCHINGS.

# Interesting to Everybody!

JOHN F. DANIELS

Has succeeded at last in getting a store, and has moved to the South Side of the Public Square.

Sign of the LOCOMOTIVE BOOT.

You can now buy of him

Good Coarse Boots at \$5.00,

The best Boot you ever saw for \$6.00,

American Kip Boots from \$6.50 to \$7.00,

And his genuine French Kip Boots, that never fail to give satisfaction, at from \$7.50 to \$8.00;

French Calf Boots at from \$8.00 to \$10.00.

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CHEAP SADDLES.

The first lot of those cheap Saddles has been sold, and the second lot is almost gone. We intend, however, to keep a constant supply, and will warrant them to give satisfaction. Call and examine them, if you want a saddle that will be sure to suit you.

CUTTING BOXES.

Every well-regulated farm should have a Cutting Box, for they save enough feed in a short time to pay for themselves, and in the end make money for the owner. We have just received a large supply of the best and most popular, which we will be happy to furnish our agricultural friends at fair prices.

Don't allow your apples to lie on the ground and rot when for a few dollars you can get one of our Cider Mills, which will put them in good shape for saving. Everything is made for use, and it is really too bad to allow that, which has been so bountifully given us, to go to waste.

CONVENIENT.



